

Federal Communications Commission Washington, D.C. 20554

April 22, 2004

Ms. Linda A. Davidson 2134 Oak Street, Unit C Santa Monica, CA 90405

Re:

Petition for Rule Making

California City, CA (Channel 235A)

Dear Ms. Davidson:

I am writing in response to the petition for rule making that you filed proposing the allotment of Channel 235A at California City, California.

Your petition has been reviewed and found to be unacceptable for consideration. The site that you proposed is located at reference coordinates 35-13-12 North Latitude and 117-48-00 West Longitude. A staff analysis indicates that the proposed site would not comply with the requirement of Section 73.315 of the Commission's Rules, which requires that the transmitter location be chosen to provide a 70 dBu contour over the entire community. For that reason, we are returning your petition for California City, California.

You may re-submit a proposal to allot Channel 235A at California City at a site that meets the requirements of Section 73.315 of the Commission's Rules.

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Before the FEDERAL COMMUNICATIONS COMMISSION

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PETITION FOR RULEMAKING

To the Chief, Allocations Branch:

Linda A. Davidson ("Petitioner") respectfully requests the Commission initiate a rulemaking proceeding for the purpose of considering amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules. In support whereof the following is stated:

2. Petitioner proposes the Commission allot FM channel 235A to California City, California as its second commercial FM service. This would require amending Section 73.202(b) of the Commission's rules as follows:

Community Present Proposed California City, CA 295A 235A, 295A

- California City is an incorporated city located in Southern California. It is located in Kern County, In 2000, the United States Census Bureau estimated California City had a population of 8.385 persons.
- FM channel 235A can be assigned to California City in full compliance with the Commission's minimum distance separation requirements. This is illustrated in the attached spacing study. Coordinates used are N 35:13:12, W 117:48:00 and are located approximately 4 Km north of California City. This site restriction is necessary to prevent a short spacing with station KTWV, Los Angeles, CA. Petitioner is confident she can find a suitable transmitter site for this allotment if it is assigned as proposed.
- Petitioner, or an entity with which she is affiliated, intends to apply for a construction permit to activate channel 235A if it is assigned to California City as proposed. If her application is granted, she shall promptly construct and operate the proposed station.
- Petitioner hereby verifies and affirms that the statements given in this petition for rulemaking are hers, and are accurate to the best of her knowledge.

Respectfully submitted. da a-Davidson

Linda A. Davidson 2134 Oak St., Unit C Santa Monica, CA 90405

April 19, 2003

FM channel spacing study Channel 235A California City, CA

CHAN FREQ CALL	LOCATION		DIST	REQ	CLEAR
232A 94.3 KBUA 232B1 94.3 KDUC	SAN FERNANDO BARSTOW	CA US CA US	121 75	31 48	90 27
234B 94.7 KTWV	LOS ANGELES	CA US	113	113	-
234C 94.7 PRM	PAHRUMP	NV US	224	165	59
235B 94.9 KBOS-FM	TULARE	CA US	188	178	10
235A 94.9 ALLOC	MARICOPA	CA US	150	115	35
235B 94.9 KBZT	SAN DIEGO	CA US	269	178	91
235B1 94.9 KHRQ	BAKER	CA US	172	143	29
236B 95.1 KFRG	SAN BERNARDINO	CA US	123	113	10
236B 95.1 KBBY-FM	VENTURA	CA US	168	113	55
237B1 95.3 KLLY	OILDALE	CA US	114	48	66
238B 95.5 KLOS	LOS ANGELES	CA US	113	69	44

Notes:

All spacings are in kilometers.

Only stations which clear by less then 110 Km are shown.

